

**State of California, State Water Resources Control Board**

**Division of Water Rights**

**P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000**

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**S010822**

**2005, 2006, 2007**

**SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE FORM**

**Owner(s) of Record:**

PATRICK D FITZGERALD; DE ANNE G FITZGERALD

Notifying the Division of Water Rights of ownership or address changes is the responsibility of the claimant

Please Complete and Return This Form by JULY 1, 2008

**Primary Contact:**

PATRICK D FITZGERALD  
4207 CLIFF DR  
STOCKTON, CA 95204

**Agent:**

**Address:**

*INACTIVE  
EWRIMS/BR*

Phone No. 209-467-3200

Fax No.

E-mail Address:

Phone No.

Fax No.

E-mail Address:

**SEP 23 2009**

**Source Name:** SECRET CREEK

**Tributary To:**

**County:** Lassen

**Diversion within:** SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 Section 23, T 32 N, R 15 E, MDB&M

**Year of First Use:** 1900

**Name of Diversion works:**

**Assessor Parcel Number  
of the Diversion site:** 08109015

A. **Water Is Used Under:** Riparian claim \_\_\_ Pre-1914 claim \_\_\_ Court Decree No.: \_\_\_ Other (explain): \_\_\_

B. **Year of First Use:** (Please provide if missing in the Division of Rights database (ewrims)) \_\_\_

C. **Rate of Diversion:** The rate of diversion of water for each month used and entered in the table below is shown in units of:  
Gallons per minute (gpm) \_\_\_ Gallons per day (gpd) \_\_\_ Cubic feet per second (cfs) \_\_\_

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average Rate
2005													
2006													
2007													

D. **Quantity of Water Used:** The quantity of water used each month and entered in the table below is shown in units of:  
Gallons \_\_\_ Million Gallons (MG) \_\_\_ Acre-feet (AF) \_\_\_

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total Annual
2005													
2006													
2007													

E. **Purpose of Use** – Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.

Irrigation \_\_\_\_\_ acres; Stockwatering \_\_\_\_\_; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_;  
Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Parcel Number(s) of Place of Use: \_\_\_\_\_

F. **Changes in Method of Diversion** – Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed.  
(New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)

G. Please answer only those questions below which are applicable to your project.

1. Conservation of water

a. Are you now employing water conservation efforts? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_  
Describe any water conservation efforts you have initiated: \_\_\_\_\_

b. If you are claiming credit for water conservation under section 1011 of the Water Code for your claimed pre-1914 appropriative right, please show the amount of water conserved:

Reduction in Diversions:  
Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

Reduction in consumptive use:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

I have data to support the above surface water use reductions due to conservation efforts. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

2. Water quality and wastewater reclamation

- a. Are you now or have you been using reclaimed water from a wastewater treatment facility, desalination facility or water polluted by waste to a degree which unreasonably affects such water for other beneficial uses? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
- b. If you are claiming credit due to the substitution of reclaimed water, desalinated water or polluted water in lieu of a claimed pre-1914 appropriative right under section 1010 of the Water Code, please show amounts of reduced diversions and amounts of substitute water supply used:

Amount of reduced diversion:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

State the type of substitute water supply: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of substitute water supply used:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

I have data to support the above surface water use reductions due to the use of a substitute water supply. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

3. Conjunctive use of surface water and groundwater

- a. Are you now using groundwater in lieu of surface water? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
- b. If you are claiming credit due to the substitution of groundwater for a claimed pre-1914 appropriative right under section 1011.5 of the Water Code, please show the amounts of groundwater used:

Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG) Year \_\_\_\_\_ (AF/MG)

I have data to support the above surface water use reductions due to the use of groundwater. YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that it may be necessary to document the water savings claimed in "F" above if credit under Water Code sections 1010 and 1011 is sought in the future.

I declare that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, California

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINTED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first name) (middle initial) (last name)

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM \_\_\_\_\_ If there is insufficient space for your answers, please use the space provided below or add an attachment sheet.  
CONTINUATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

GENERAL INFORMATION PERTAINING TO WATER RIGHTS IN CALIFORNIA

There are two principal types of surface water rights in California. They are riparian and appropriative rights.

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An appropriative right is required for use of water on non-riparian land and for storage of water. Generally, appropriative rights may be exercised only when there is a surplus not needed by riparian water users. After the formation of the California Water Commission back on December 19, 1914, new appropriators have been required to obtain a permit and license from the State. Appropriative rights can be granted to waters "foreign" to the natural stream system.

Statements of Water Diversion and Use must be filed by riparian and pre-1914 appropriative water users as set forth in Water Code section 5100 with specific exceptions. The filing of a statement (1) provides a record of water use, (2) enables the State to notify such users if someone proposes a new appropriation upstream from their diversions, and (3) assists the State to determine if additional water is available for future appropriators.

The above discussion is provided for general information. For more specific information concerning water rights, please contact an attorney or write to this office. We have several pamphlets available. They include: (1) Statements of Water Diversion and Use, (2) Information Pertaining to Water Rights in California, and (3) Appropriation of Water in California.



Winston H. Hickox  
Secretary for  
Environmental  
Protection

# State Water Resources Control Board

## Division of Water Rights

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## NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

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State Water Resources Control Board  
Division of Water Rights  
P.O. Box 2000  
Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

Gentlemen:

I have assigned all my right, title, and interest in  
Statement #15 5010822, 5010823, 5010824, 5010825, 5010826,  
Application \_\_\_\_\_, Permit \_\_\_\_\_, License \_\_\_\_\_

on file with the State Water Resources Control Board to:

Patrick D. Fitzgerald

DeAnne H. Fitzgerald

whose address is:

4207 CLIFF DR.  
(Address)

Arden  
(City)

Calif  
(State)

95204  
(Zip code)

Telephone No. ( ) 209-467-3200

(Signature)

James J. French

(Signature)

Telephone No. ( ) 530-251-6352

Dated: 6-28-99

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**SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE**

If the information below is inaccurate, please line it out in red and provide current information.  
Notify this office if ownership or address changes occur during the coming year.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1999

OWNER OF RECORD: PATRICK D FITZGERALD, DE ANNE G FITZGERALD

PATRICK D FITZGERALD  
4207 CLIFF DR  
STOCKTON, CA 95204

STATEMENT NO: S010822

SOURCE: SECRET CREEK  
TRIBUTARY TO: BALLS CANYON  
COUNTY: LASSEN  
DIVERSION

WITHIN: SW¼ OF NE¼ SECTION 23, T32N, R15E, MB&M.

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

YEAR OF FIRST USE: 1900

PARCEL NO: 08109015

- A. Water is used under: Riparian claim \_\_\_\_\_; Pre 1914 right ☒; Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Year of first use (Please provide if missing above) \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Amount of Use - Enter the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.

Amounts below are: ☐ Gallons

☐ Acre-feet

☒ Other

Ball Creek Capacity

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total Annual
1996	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Peak</u>
1997	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Peak</u>
1998	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Peak</u>

- D. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.  
Irrigation 150 acres; Stockwatering 600 ± \*; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify) \* ESTIMATE
- E. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)
- F. If part of the water listed in Part C consists of reclaimed or polluted water, please indicate the annual amounts of reclaimed or polluted water in the space below.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: 6-25, 1999 at Stockton, California

SIGNATURE: Patrick D Fitzgerald

PRINTED NAME: Patrick D Fitzgerald

COMPANY NAME: Patrick D Fitzgerald & DeBonne Fitzgerald

See back of page for General Information. If there is insufficient space for your answers, please number them in the space provided on the back of this form.



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STATE WATER RESOURCES  
CONTROL BOARD

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DIV. OF WATER RIGHTS  
SACRAMENTO

## SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

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**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1996.**

OWNER OF RECORD: LUCILLE H FRENCH, JAMES T FRENCH

STATEMENT NO: S010822

JAMES T FRENCH  
P O BOX 273  
LITCHFIELD, CA 96117

SOURCE: SECRET CREEK  
TRIBUTARY TO: BALLS CANYON  
COUNTY: LASSEN  
DIVERSION

WITHIN: SW $\frac{1}{4}$  OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SECTION 23, T32N, R15E, MB&M.

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

(916) 251-2749

YEAR OF FIRST USE: 1900

PARCEL NO: 08109015

- A. Water is used under: Riparian claim \_\_\_\_\_; Pre 1914 right ☒; Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Year of first use (Please provide if missing above) \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Amount of Use - Enter the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.

Amounts below are: ☐ Gallons ☐ Acre-feet ☒ (other) Total Creek Capacity

YEAR	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT	OCT.	NOV.	DEC	TOTAL ANNUAL
1993	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Creek
1994	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Creek
1995	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Creek

- D. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.  
Irrigation 150 acres; Stockwatering 600± Head \*; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify): \* Estimate
- E. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- F. If part of the water listed in Part C consists of reclaimed or polluted water, please indicate the annual amounts of reclaimed or polluted water in the space below.  
\_\_\_\_\_

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: 6/28, 19 96, at Secret Valley, California

SIGNATURE: James T French

PRINTED NAME: James (FIRST NAME) T (M. NAME) French (LAST NAME)

COMPANY NAME: French's Secret Valley Ranch

See back of page for General Information. If there is insufficient space for your answers, please number them in the space provided on the back of this form.



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\*\*\* PLEASE COMPLETE, SUBMIT THE ORIGINAL AND MAKE A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS \*\*\*

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

P.O. BOX 2000 SACRAMENTO, CA 95812-2000

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

STATEMENT NO: S010822

OWNER OF RECORD: LUCILLE H FRENCH, *JAMES T FRENCH*

LUCILLE H FRENCH, *JAMES T FRENCH*  
P. O. BOX ~~110~~ 273  
LITCHFIELD, CA 96117

STATE WATER RESOURCES  
CONTROL BOARD  
DIV. OF WATER RIGHTS  
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SOURCE: SECRET CREEK  
TRIBUTARY TO: BALLS CANYON  
COUNTY: LASSEN  
DIVERSION

WITHIN: SW¼ OF NE¼ SECTION 23, T32N, R15E, MDB&M.

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

(916) ~~254-6884~~ 251-2749

YEAR OF FIRST USE: 1900

PARCEL NO: 08109015

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COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1995

A. Water is used under: Riparian claim \_\_\_\_\_; Pre 1914 right ☒; Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Year of first use (Please provide if missing above) \_\_\_\_\_

C. Amount of Use - Enter the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.

Amounts below are: ☐ Gallons ☐ Acre-feet ☒ (other) TOTAL CREEK CAPACITY

	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL ANNUAL
1992	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	CREEK
1993	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	CREEK
1994	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	CREEK

D. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.

Irrigation 150 acres; Stockwatering 600 ± HEAD; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_

Other (specify) 4 ESTIMATE

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- E. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)

No Change

- F. If part of the water listed in Part C consists of reclaimed or polluted water, please indicate the annual amounts of reclaimed or polluted water in the space below.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: Mar 21, 19 95, at Litchfield, California

SIGNATURE: James S. French

PRINTED NAME: JAMES T FRENCH  
(FIRST NAME) (M. NAME) (LAST NAME)

COMPANY NAME: FRENCH'S SECRET VALLEY RANCH

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"Information Pertaining to Water Rights in California"  
"Water Rights for Stockponds Constructed Prior to 1969"  
"Appropriation of Water in California"

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS  
P.O. Box 2000  
Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE  
INFORMATION SHEET

STATEMENT NO. 5010822

DIVERSION SITE: LUCILLE

OWNER'S NAME JAMES

(FIRST)

H  
T

(MIDDLE)

FRENCH

(LAST)

PARCEL NO. 081-090-15

PLACE OF USE:

OWNER'S NAME FRENCH'S

(FIRST)

SECRET VALLEY

(MIDDLE)

RANCH

(LAST)

1. PARCEL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

2. PARCEL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

3. PARCEL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

PERSON OR FIRM TO RECEIVE ALL CORRESPONDENCE AND SUPPLEMENTAL  
STATEMENTS:

OWNER/LESSEE/AGENT/OTHER OWNER

NAME JAMES

(FIRST)

T

(MIDDLE)

FRENCH

(LAST)

MAILING ADDRESS PO Box 273 HARLO RD.

LITCH FIELD

(CITY)

CAL

(STATE)

96117

(ZIP)

TELEPHONE NO. ( 916 ) 251 - 2749

OTHERS USING ABOVE DIVERSION LOCATION:

1. NAME \_\_\_\_\_

(FIRST)

(MIDDLE)

(LAST)

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

(CITY)

(STATE)

(ZIP)

TELEPHONE NO. ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

2. NAME \_\_\_\_\_

(FIRST)

(MIDDLE)

(LAST)

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

(CITY)

(STATE)

(ZIP)

TELEPHONE NO. ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

☐ ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTINUED ON BACK OF PAGE OR ATTACHED

PLEASE USE THE OTHER SIDE TO PROVIDE THE ABOVE INFORMATION FOR  
ADDITIONAL OWNERS OR PLACES OF USE AND CHECK THE ADDITIONAL  
INFORMATION BOX.

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

P.O. BOX 2000 SACRAMENTO, CA 95812-2000  
(916) 657-1875

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

DIVERTER OF RECORD:

STATEMENT NO: 010822

LUCILLE H & JAMES T FRENCH  
P O BOX 110  
LITCHFIELD, CA 96117

TELEPHONE NUMBER:  
(916) ~~254-6634~~  
251-2749

IF NAME/ADDRESS/PHONE NO. IS WRONG OR MISSING, PLEASE CORRECT.

SOURCE: SECRET CREEK

TRIBUTARY TO: BALLS CANYON

COUNTY: LASSEN

YEAR OF FIRST DIVERSION: 1988

DIVERSION

WITHIN: SW1/4 OF NE1/4 SECTION 23, T32N, R15E, MDB&M.

COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1994.

- A. Water is used under: Riparian claim \_\_\_\_\_; Pre 1914 right ☒; Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_
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	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL ANNUAL
1991	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	creek
1992	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	creek
1993	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	creek

- D. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.  
Irrigation 150 acres; Stockwatering 600± head; Domestic \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify) \* estimate

- E. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)

no change

- F. If part of the water listed in Part C consists of reclaimed or polluted water, please indicate the annual amounts of reclaimed or polluted water in the space below.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: April 8, 1994, at Litchfield, California

Signature: James T. French

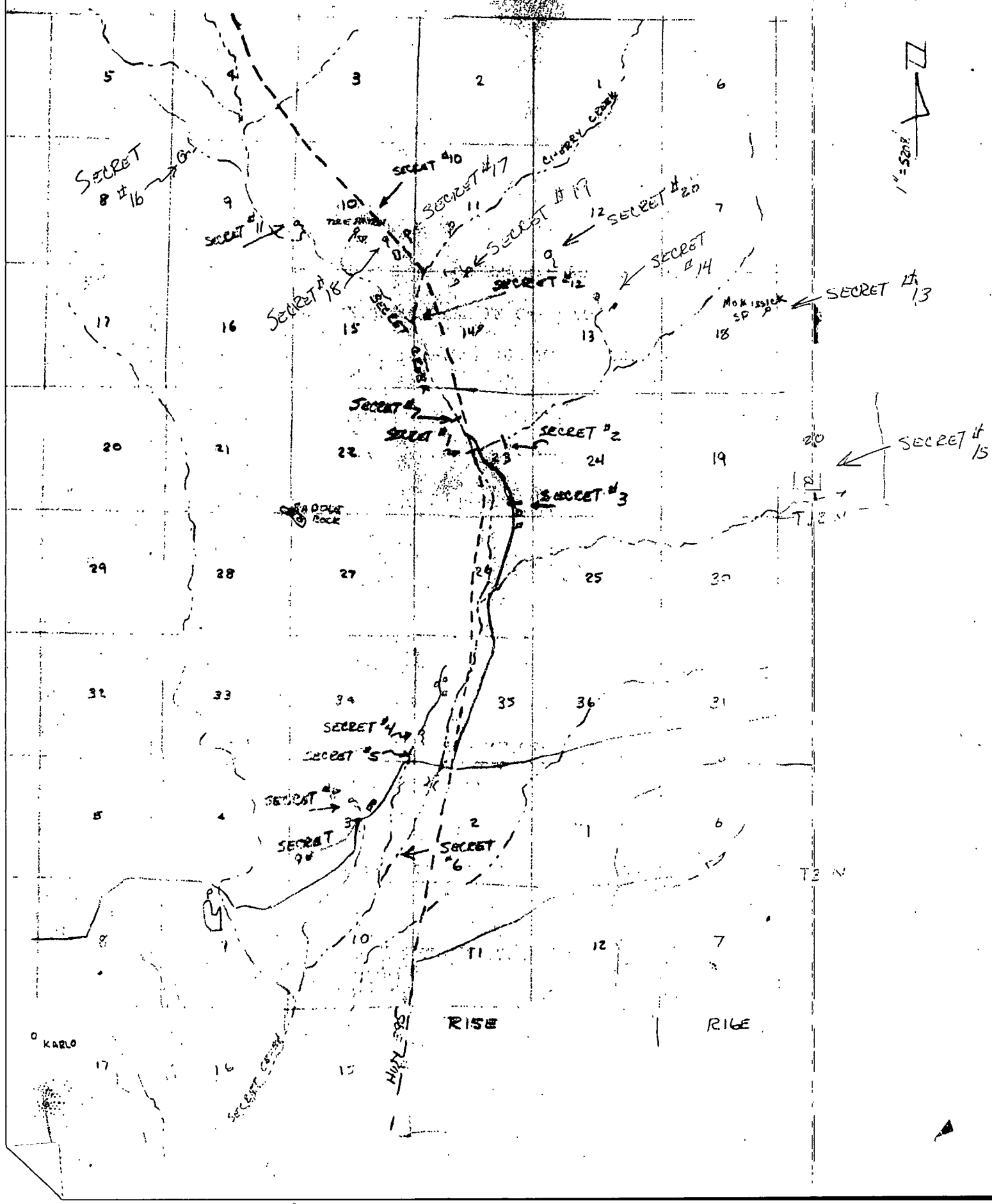
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
Division of Water Rights

P.O. BOX 2000 SACRAMENTO, CA 95812-2000  
901 P ST. SACRAMENTO, CA 95814  
(916) 322-4503  
(916) 324-5676

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

DIVERTER OF RECORD:

LUCILLE H & JAMES T FRENCH  
P O BOX 110  
LITCHFIELD, CA 96117

DIV. OF WATER RIGHTS  
SACRAMENTO

STATEMENT NO: 010822

TELEPHONE NUMBER:  
(916) 254-6634

IF NAME/ADDRESS/PHONE NO. IS WRONG OR MISSING, PLEASE CORRECT.

SOURCE: SECRET CREEK

TRIBUTARY TO: BALLS CANYON

COUNTY: LASSEN

DIVERSION

WITHIN: SW1/4 OF NE1/4 SECTION 23, T32N, R15E, MDB&M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete Items A, B and C. Item D should be completed if you replaced all or part of your regular water supply with reclaimed or polluted water. RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1991. (Additional information on reverse side of this form.)

- A. Amount of Use - Fill in the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.
- Amounts ☐ Gallons  
below are: ☐ Acre-feet  
☒ TOTAL CREEK (other)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total Annual
1988	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
1989	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
1990	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

- B. Purpose of Use - Specify number of acres irrigated, stock watered, persons served, etc.

Irrigation 150 acre Meadow

Stockwatering 600+ head livestock

Domestic \_\_\_\_\_

Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

- C. Changes in Method of Diversion - Describe any changes in your project since your previous statement was filed. (New pump, enlarged diversion dam, location of diversion, etc.)

None

- D. If part of the water listed in Part A consists of reclaimed or polluted water, please indicate the annual amounts of reclaimed or polluted water in the space below.

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the information in this report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: Mar. 27, 19 91, at Litchfield, California 96117

Signature: Lucille French

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SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

DIV. OF WATER RIGHTS  
SACRAMENTO

STATEMENT NO: 010822

DIVERTER OF RECORD:

LUCILLE H & JAMES T FRENCH  
P O BOX 110  
LITCHFIELD, CA 96117

TELEPHONE NUMBER:  
(916) 254-6634

IF NAME/ADDRESS/PHONE NO. IS WRONG OR MISSING, PLEASE CORRECT.

SOURCE: SECRET CREEK

TRIBUTARY TO: BALLS CANYON

COUNTY: LASSEN

DIVERSION

WITHIN: SW1/4 OF NE1/4 SECTION 23, T32N, R15E, MDB&M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete Items A, B and C. Item D should be completed if you replaced all or part of your regular water supply with reclaimed or polluted water. RETURN THIS FORM BY JULY 1, 1988. (Additional information on reverse side of this form.)

- A. Amount of Use - Fill in the amount of water used each month. If monthly and annual use are not known, check the months in which water was used.
- Amounts below are: ☐ Gallons ☐ Acre-feet ☒ Total Creek (other)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec	Total Annual
1985	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
1986	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
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Domestic \_\_\_\_\_

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unknown

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DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS  
STATEMENT OF WATER DIVERSION AND USE

STATE WATER RESOURCES  
CONTROL BOARD

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This statement should be typewritten or legibly written in ink.

DIV. OF WATER RIGHTS  
SACRAMENTO

A. Name of person diverting water LUCILLE H. FRENCH & JAMES T. FRENCH  
Address PO BOX 110 LITCHFIELD, CALIF. 96117 Telephone: 916-254-6634

B. Name of body of water at point of diversion SECRET CREEK  
Tributary to Balls Canyon thence Willow Creek thence Sugar River

C. Place of diversion SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 23, Township 32N, Range 15E, M.D. B&M,  
LASSEN County, or locate it on sketch of section grid on reverse side with regard to section lines or prominent local landmarks.

D. Name of works SECRET VALLEY RANCH DIVERSION #1

E. Capacity of diversion works TOTAL CREEK CAPACITY cubic feet per second  
Capacity of storage reservoir NA gallons per minute  
State quantity of water used each month in gallons or acre-feet

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total Annual
	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

If monthly and annual use are not known, check months in which water was used. State extent of use in units, such as acres of each crop irrigated, average number of persons served, number of stock watered, etc.

150 MURDOCK IRRIGATED, 600 HEAD LIVESTOCK WATERED

Maximum annual water use in recent years \_\_\_\_\_ gallons  
acre-feet

Minimum annual water use in recent years \_\_\_\_\_ gallons  
acre-feet

Type of diversion facility: gravity ☒, pump \_\_\_\_\_

Method of measurement: weir \_\_\_\_\_, flume \_\_\_\_\_, electric power meter \_\_\_\_\_, water meter \_\_\_\_\_, estimate ☒

F. Purpose of use (what water is being used for) IRRIGATION & LIVESTOCK

G. General description or location of place of use (use sketch of section grid on reverse side if you desire)  
NORTH PART OF SECRET VALLEY RANCH (See Sheet 3)

H. Year of first use as nearly as known 1900

I. Name of person filing statement Lucille French

Position Owner Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address Box 110, Litchfield, Calif. 96117 Telephone: 916-254-6634

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DATED: May 25, 19 82, at Litchfield, California.

Signature: Lucille French

See Instructions on Reverse Side

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